DECLARATION OF ABRAHAM MARTIN

I am Abraham Martin, appellant pro se, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the following is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief:

- 1. I am an indigent appellant-defendant in the aforesaid criminal and civil case.
- 2. I was represented by Federal Public Defender(s) throughout the criminal proceedings, due to my indigence.
- 3. On February 1, 2007 the U.S. district court for Hawaii denied my motion for appointment of counsel. I am ergo compelled to carry on the appeal (Motion 2255) pro se.
- 4. I do not have any tangible or intangible assets. If any, they are of minimal value or no value.
- 5. I am not employed, being in federal custody, performing involuntary servitude.
- 6. For my hard labor work, the Bureau of Prisons pays me an average of \$17.00 monthly.
 - 7. My restitution is \$25.00 every quarter, or \$8.33 per month.
- 8. The cost of personal necessary items, typewriter ribbon & correction tape, postage, xerox, etc ... has placed a tremendous monetary hardship on me in my appeal.
- 9. My sick wife, Anna Martin, depends on me for support and care, which I cannot provide at all due to my present incarceration.
- 10. Because of my poverty, I am unable to pay the costs of the appeal proceedings (fees, cost or security therefor) and I believe I am entitled to relief.

DATED: Lompoc, California this 21st August 2007

Abraham Martin